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**PATENT APPLICATION**

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**TITLE:**              **TUNABLE DISPERSION COMPENSATOR**

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Specification – 18 pages  
4 Informal sheets of drawings  
1 Assignment & Cover sheet  
1 Declaration

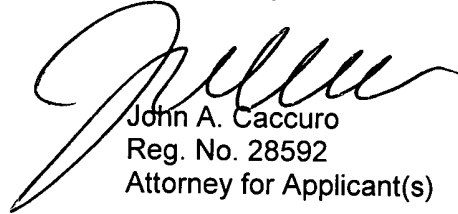
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